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In re Application of:

LAHTI ET AL.

Serial No. 10/086,757

Filed: 28 FEBRUARY 2002

For: USING CONNECTORS TO AUTOMATICALLY UPDATE GRAPHICAL USER INTERFACE **ELEMENTS AT A CLIENT SYSTEM ACCORDING** TO AN UPDATED STATE OF A CONFIGURATION Examiner:

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## COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Sir:

The indication in the Notice of Allowance mailed 15 August 2005 that Claims 1-12, 14-28, 30-43, and 45-48 of the subject Application have been allowed is noted with appreciation. However, the Applicants would like to comment on the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance.

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#### **REMARKS:**

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.104, the Applicants respectfully issue a statement commenting on the Examiner's reasons for allowance. The Applicants respectfully disagree with the Examiner's reasons for allowance to the extent that they are inconsistent with applicable case law, statutes, and regulations. Furthermore, the Applicants do not admit to any characterization or limitation of the claims, particularly any that are inconsistent with the language of the claims considered in their entirety and including all of their constituent limitations, or to any characterization of a reference by the Examiner.

#### **CONCLUSION:**

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Please file the following enclosed documents in the subject application:

- 1. This Transmittal with Certificate of Mailing;
- Part B of Issue Fee Transmittal Form PTOL-85, including a Deposit 2. Account Authorization (in duplicate);
- 3. Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance; and
- 4. Our return postcard which we would appreciate you date stamping and returning to us

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